

## SENATE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH CARE

March 22, 2021  
01:00 PM

Hearing Room Remote B

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sen. Deb Patterson, Chair  
Sen. Tim Knopp, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Lee Beyer  
Sen. Dallas Heard  
Sen. James Manning Jr.

**STAFF PRESENT:** Brian Nieuburt, LPRO Analyst  
Oliver Droppers, LPRO Analyst  
Danielle Ross, Committee Assistant

**EXHIBITS:** Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** SB 143 – Public Hearing  
SB 844 – Public Hearing  
SB 2 – Work Session  
SB 3 – Work Session

*This meeting was held virtually with remote participation only*

00:04:18 Meeting Called to Order  
00:04:19 Chair Patterson  
00:04:41 ROLL CALL

00:05:08 **SB 143 - Public Hearing**  
00:05:09 Chair Patterson  
00:05:18 Brian Nieuburt, LPRO Analyst  
00:05:49 Kyle Easton, Legislative Revenue Office  
00:17:00 David Rickman, Director, Emergency Department, Mercy Medical Center,  
Roseburg  
00:19:19 Sen. Beyer  
00:20:56 Dan Cushing, Douglas County Independent Physicians Association  
00:22:10 Sam Barber, Oregon Rural Health Association  
00:28:57 Robert Duehmig, Interim Director, Oregon Office of Rural Health  
00:33:57 Katy King, Oregon Chapter, American College of Emergency Physicians

00:38:10 **SB 844 - Public Hearing**  
00:38:11 Chair Patterson  
00:38:20 Brian Nieuburt, LPRO Analyst

00:40:58 Rep. Rachel Prusak, House District 37  
00:46:22 Andrew York, Executive Director, Maryland Prescription Drug Affordability Board  
00:51:05 Vice-Chair Knopp  
00:53:07 Michael Neilsen, resident, Bend

00:57:31 **SB 2 and SB 3 - Work Session**  
00:57:32 Chair Patterson  
00:57:49 Brian Nieuburt, LPRO Analyst  
00:58:26 Sen. Peter Courtney, Senate District 11; Senate President  
01:07:18 Sen. Manning Jr.  
01:08:36 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR KNOPP MOVES SB 2 DO PASS  
01:08:51 VOTE: 4-1-0  
AYE: BEYER, MANNING JR., KNOPP, PATTERSON  
NAY: HEARD  
CARRIER: SEN. HANSELL

01:09:27 **SB 3 - Work Session**  
01:09:28 Chair Patterson  
01:09:34 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR KNOPP MOVES SB 3 DO PASS  
01:09:47 VOTE: 4-1-0  
AYE: BEYER, MANNING JR., KNOPP, PATTERSON  
NAY: HEARD  
CARRIER: PRESIDENT COURTNEY

01:10:21 **SB 844 - Public Hearing**  
01:10:22 Chair Patterson  
01:10:48 Asher Lisec, Deputy Vice-President, State Policy, Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America (PhRMA)  
01:13:57 Brian Warren, Biotechnology Innovation Organization  
01:18:25 Bud Pierce, Senior Partner, Oregon Oncology Specialists  
01:21:18 Cameron Locklear, resident, Newport  
01:24:28 Akil Patterson, Oregon Nurses Association  
01:27:59 Paul Cosgrove, Healthcare Distribution Alliance  
01:30:04 Sandra Shotwell, physician, Portland  
01:33:30 Julie Black, Director, Member Services, Oregon Bioscience Association  
01:38:44 Joanna Olson, resident, Beaverton  
01:41:48 Jane Horvath, Horvath Health Policy  
01:47:10 Sen. Heard  
01:51:18 Meeting Adjourned